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Ribbon-cutting marks completion of Tezel Road project

City Council Districts 6 and 7 will join staff from the City of San Antonio's Capital Improvements Management Services Department, community leaders, and nearby neighborhood associations in celebrating the completion of the Tezel Road reconstruction project.

A ribbon-cutting ceremony is scheduled for 10 a.m. Monday, June 30, at the corner of Tezel Road and Timber Ranch.

The \$14.8 million Tezel work, part of a 1999 Street Bond Metropolitan Planning Organization project, was jointly funded by the federal government and the City of San Antonio. Other funding sources were 2001 and 2004 certificates of obligation. The Texas Department of Transportation administered the nearly 2-mile project.

Tezel from Old Tezel Road near James Carson Elementary School to Timber Path was widened to 69 feet (four lanes) with turn lanes, curbs, 6-foot sidewalks at the curb, drainage, signal improvements, and 6-foot bicycle lanes. Other enhancements included street print, colored and stamped concrete in the medians, and a planted and landscaped area in the old road alignment from Ridge Run to just north of Timber Ranch.

Chiang, Patel & Yerby Inc. was the consultant and Texas Sterling Construction Co. was the contractor. Construction began in 2005 and was completed this spring.